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Serial No.:	09/965,628	Group Art Unit:	2651
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Title:	Method to Achieve Higher Track Density by Allowing Only One-Sided Track Encroachment		

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 Commissioner for Patents
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three month to respond to the Office Action mailed October 21, 2003.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Applicant is other than a small entity.
4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):
Extension three month: Fee for other than small entity: \$950.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

5. Fee Payment: Charge fee to Account No. 19-1038. This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

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